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## Governor Musgrove Appoints Dr. Jim Anderson to Mississippi Board of Animal Health

(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove has appointed Dr. Jim Anderson of Brandon to the Mississippi Board of Animal Health. He will represent the beef cattle breeder position for the unexpired term ending July 31, 2005.

“Dr. Anderson has been a practicing veterinarian for over 25 years and the expertise and knowledge he brings to the Mississippi Board of Animal Health will be invaluable,” said Musgrove.

Anderson is currently the veterinarian and owner of the Crossgates Veterinary Clinic in Brandon. He received a Bachelor of Science from Mississippi State in Animal/Dairy Science and his doctorate in Veterinary Medicine from Auburn University. He is a member of the American Veterinary Medical Association, the Mississippi Veterinary Medical Association, the Mississippi Cattleman’s Association, and a member of Crossgates Methodist Church.

The Mississippi Board of Animal Health is charged with controlling, eradicating, and preventing the introduction and spread of contagious and infectious animal diseases.

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